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tax, then you don't solve the problem by throwing one cup of water on the problem for this year, putting out one small fire, and allowing it to deteriorate even worse. There will be people in these elections that will have to explain why their property taxes are the highest in the nation and all the promises of decreased sales and income taxes never materialized and that is where you are going to be if this amendment isn't adopted or if this money is spent as you are on your way to now and don't sit there and use this game of say, well, we will pass them and the Governor will veto and bring them all to a reasonable amount. Baloney! You are the body set up for that. Don't keep using the Governor as a second house. Start doing your job here. Your job is to vote for this amendment.

SENATOR CLARK: The question before the House is the return of the bill to adopt the amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Have you all voted? Voting aye.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Senator Clark voting yes.

SENATOR CLARK: Have you all voted? Record the vote. A roll call has been requested. The Clerk will call the roll.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Roll call taken. See pages 1909-1910 of the Legislative Journal.) 10 nays, 34 nays on the DeCamp motion to return.

SENATOR CLARK: Motion lost. Is there any further motions on the bill?

ASSISTANT CLERK: In that case, Mr. President, Senator DeCamp would move to return the bill to Select File for specific amendment, that being to strike the enacting clause.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DECAMP: Mr. President, I am not one that believes in wasting time on lost causes so I will simply say this. There is a deathly fear in here by any member to take on the NSEA. Until you take on the NSEA and start worrying about